Announcement No: T38-03-600 Opening Date: 9/10/03 Closing Date: Until filled

Department of Veterans Affairs

Medical Center

Portland Oregon

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POSITION: Physician (Plastic Surgeon), AD/VM-602-14/15

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: Permanent

NUMBER OF VACANCIES: 1 Part-time position (20 hours/week)

FUNCTIONAL STATEMENT: Physician

SALARY RANGE: \$72,381 to \$110,682 per annum, dependent upon qualifications and experience. (Salary prorated for part time hours worked). Additional special pay is available, more if a VA employee.

NOTE 1: This agency provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities. If you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the agency. The decision on granting reasonable accommodation will be on a case-by-case basis.

NOTE 2: Applications received by 9/23/03 will be given first consideration for this vacancy.

NOTE 3: A pre-employment physical examination may be required for any applicant tentative selected from outside the VA Medical Center.

NOTE 4: Appointment to positions at this facility requires completion of a background investigation. Candidates selected must complete the investigation request, and will be fingerprinted prior to appointment.

NOTE 4: A drug test may be required for any applicant tentatively selected from outside the VA Medical Center.

NOTE 5: A recruitment bonus may be available to a high quality candidate.

NOTE 6: This is a Bargaining Position.

TOUR OF DUTY: Position is 20 hours per week (40 hours per pay period), M-F. The work conditions may require some rotation in the tour of duty

LOCATION: This position is located in the Surgical Service, Operative Care Division, Portland OR Division; however, it may be necessary to use the selectee's' services at different locations throughout the medical center.

AREA OF CONSIDERATION: First area of consideration will go to current permanent employees of this medical center including Willamette National Cemetery, Regional Counsel and Veteran Outreach Center. Second area of consideration will go to any qualified U.S. Citizen

DUTIES: The complete Functional Statement may be reviewed in Human Resources Management Division. The following duties and responsibilities are taken from the functional statement and are considered to be a brief extract. The incumbent is responsible and/or managing all aspects of a general surgery program, to include clinical, administrative, academic, and research components. Incumbent is accountable to the Plastic Surgery Section Chief, Chief, Surgical Service, and Operative Care Division Director for assuring the most effective delivery of care in general surgery while meeting and exceeding compliance standards. Will have responsibility and decision-making ability for general surgery patient-care issues.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be a citizen of the United States.
- Must be a licensed Physician with relevant work experience.
- Must be board-certified or board eligible in Plastic Surgery through the American Board of Surgery.

HOW TO APPLY (First Consideration Applicants): In order to be considered for this vacancy, interested employees must complete and submit VA Form 5-4078, Application for Promotion or Reassignment, to be received in Human Resources Management Division (P4HRMS). This form is available in Human Resources Management Division and on the internal Human Resources website. First consideration will be given to those who apply no later than 9/23/03, however this position will remain open until filled.

HOW TO APPLY (Second Consideration Applicants): In order to be considered for this vacancy, interested applicants must complete and submit: A. VA Form 10-2850 (Application For Physicians, Dentists, Podiatrists, and Optometrists)

- В. OF-306, "Declaration for Federal Employment.
- DD-214, "Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty" (if claiming veterans preference and/or VRA eligibility). C
- SF-15, "Application for 10-point Veteran Preference" (with required documentation for proof). (if applicable) D.
- Curriculum vita should be enclosed as additional information.

You may obtain these forms by contacting one of the Personnel Clerks at (503) 273-5236 or you may visit the Human Resources Management Division Office, Building 16, Room 300, 3710 SW US Veterans Hospital Road, Portland, OR 97207. You can return or mail your completed application to the above address ATTN: Announcement T38-03-600.

Well Qualified (CTAP/ICTAP): A well-qualified candidate Is defined as one who meets the qualification and eligibility requirements for the position, including all educational/experience and selective factors (when applicable), and is able to satisfactorily perform the duties of the position upon entry.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: All qualified candidates will receive equal consideration without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, politics, marital status, non-disqualifying physical or mental handicap, age or membership or non-membership in a labor organization.

HOW TO OBTAIN FORMS:

Forms are available online at http://www.portland.med.va.gov/

In Portland:

VA Medical Center Human Resources Management Division 3710 SW US Veterans Hospital Road, (Bldg. 16, Room 300) Portland, OR 97207. Phone # (503) 273-5236

If Mailing: VA Medical Center, Human Resources Management Division (P4HRMS) P.O. Box 1034 Portland, OR 97207

Human Resources Management Division will not photocopy any application material; applicants are responsible for making photocopies prior to submitting applications. Applications must be received in Human Resources Management Division in the Portland office as listed above. First consideration will be given to those who apply no later than 9/23/03, however this position will remain open until filled. Applications will not be returned to applicants. For additional information you may contact Personnel (503) 273-5236.